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SUBJECT: NORDIC FUR AUCTIONS

FOR COMMERCE

REF: STATE 16923

1. FUR AUCTIONS ARE MAINLY ARRANGED BY AB NORDISKA SKINN-AUKTIONER (NORDIC FUR AUCTIONS) AT NORRA STATIONSGATAN 75-77, S-113 33 STOCKHOLM. SEVERAL COPIES OF THE SCHEDULE COVERING THE 1973/74 SEASON ARE BEING FORWARDED SEPARATELY. FOR THE 1974/75 SEASON AUCTIONS ARE SCHEDULED IN SEPTEMBER, AND DECEMBER 1974, JANUARY, MARCH, AND MAY 1975 BUT EXACT DATES ARE NOT YET FIXED.

2. NORDIC FUR AUCTIONS IS A SALES ORGANIZATION FOR SWEDISH BREEDERS OF FUR-BEARING ANIMALS. IN ADDITION TO FARM BRED MINK AND FOX FURS, SWEDISH WILD MINK AND RED FOX ARE SOLD AT AUCTIONS SPONSORED BY THIS ORGANIZATION. THERE ARE AT PRESENT NO SPECIFIC REGULATIONS REGARDING SALES OF NON-SWEDISH FURS. IF FOREIGN FUR SUPPLIERS WISH TO SELL THEIR PRODUCTS THROUGH NORDIC FUR AUCTIONS A SPECIAL AGREEMENT COULD BE DISCUSSED, ACCORDING TO AN OFFICIAL OF THE ORGANIZATION.

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3. SWEDISH IMPORT DUTIES AT PRESENT ARE: UNDRESSED SKINS -
NO DUTY, PREPARED SKINS - 3 PERCENT, SEMI-FINISHED
FUR PRODUCTS - 4 PERCENT, FINISHED FUR COATS - 7 PERCENT.
AT THE TIME OF THE IMPORT AN ADDED-VALUE-TAX (17,65 PERCENT)
MUST BE PAID. THIS WILL BE REPAID WHEN THE FURS ARE SOLD OR
RE-EXPORTED. COPIES OF THE SALES TERMS ARE MAILED SEPARATELY.

4. KONTROLLHUDAR EKONOMISK FORENING, VASTKUST-
VAGEN 1, S-211 20 MALMO HOLDS LAMBSKIN AUCTIONS TWICE
A YEAR - END OF MARCH AND BEGINNING OF DECEMBER - AT
STORGATAN 11, S-573 00 TRANAS. KONTROLLHUDAR EKONOMISK
FORENING IS A SWEDISH COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION AND ONLY
MEMBERS' PRODUCTS ARE SOLD.
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